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Of filaments in a filament forming
Process

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In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of NonProvisional Application (Form PTO-1533) dated January 31, 2001, in the above-identified application, Applicant submits herewith all missing parts, namely, a signed Declaration And Power Of Attorney in accordance with 37 CFR 1.63. A copy of Form PTO-1533 is also enclosed.

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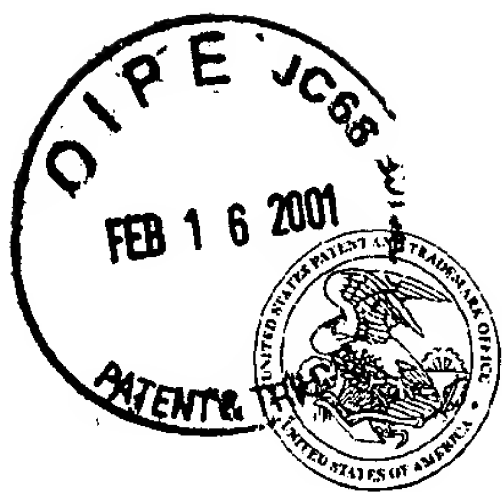
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